

LOCAL.

J. O. Cameron visited Roswell, Wednesday.

Beat the cigar in town—White Squadron—at Gamble's.

G. A. Richardson, of Roswell, was in town Thursday and Friday.

Rains have at last come to all portions of Eddy county and range is the finest for years.

W. R. Anderson has been confined to his home by sickness the past two or three days.

Miss Berta Lavery left Thursday evening for Midland, where she will visit relatives.

A. N. Pratt is still confined to his home by illness having been taken worse Thursday night.

Will Merchant, of San Simon ranch, left Thursday for the east to take treatment for his eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cowden, of Midland, who have been here visiting, returned home Tuesday.

All are especially invited to attend the League services at the Methodist church to-morrow evening.

L. Winfield Scott and R. P. Robertson, two of the cattle kings of the west, transacted business in town Monday.

C. B. Smith, editor of the Pecos News, came up Thursday and looked over the best sugar factory and other sights.

Rev. Hammons, of the Methodist church, went up to Hagerman this morning to preach at that place to-morrow.

Miss Maude Cowden returned home to Midland Tuesday evening after a visit of several weeks with the Misses Lavery.

Clabe Merchant Sr., spent several days in town this week. He will have charge at San Simon ranch during the absence of his son, Will.

W. H. Hutchinson started home from Alamogordo this week but was taken very ill while on the train and was taken to the hospital in El Paso. Mrs. Hutchinson was wired and left Wednesday for El Paso.

A washout on the railway near Arno delayed trains one day. The washout occurred Sunday night and washed one end of a bridge about twenty feet down stream. The repairs were made in about eight hours.

D. J. Merry, one of the old timers hereabouts, came down from Elizabethtown this week by wagon in company with some other parties to prospect on Rocky Arroyo. They headed for home Thursday not having even drove into Carlsbad.

R. E. Perkins was thrown from a wild broncho Wednesday at 4 p. m. on Hill Arnold's place at Seven Rivers, sustaining a fracture of both bones of the right forearm. He came to town and the fracture was reduced by Drs. Wheeler & Moehlan.

There will be no preaching services at the M. E. church to-morrow, July 23rd, but will be regular services the fifth Sunday. The theme for the Sunday evening service will be "The Physical Effects of Sin." All are cordially invited, especially the young people.

The water was turned off from the canal for several days this week, during which time thousands of fish perished in the canal. Fish are not any too plentiful and some kind of netting should be placed at the head of the canal to prevent fish going into the canal.

Mrs. Jas. Carpenter was paid \$2,000 Thursday by the Woodmen of the World, in which order her husband was insured. The monument has been ordered and will be erected with appropriate unveiling ceremonies when it arrives. This is the only order which declares that the remains of no member shall lie in an unmarked grave.

Black river and Florence young people indulged in a fish-fry last week at the mouth of Black river. Among the nice things enjoyed was plenty to eat, such as cake, pie, pickles, fish and sand. Fishing was, of course, the order of the day and continued till midnight with a candy breaking at ten p. m. In the morning about five o'clock all were awakened by a nice shower, which caused a stampede for shelter under the wagons. Breakfast served all went fishing (for suckers mostly) until about noon when all started home well pleased with themselves and the world in general.

Receiver Rogers of the old First National bank, will sell a large quantity of land, town lots and a few sundries on Monday, Aug. 31, at 10 a. m. in front of the court house to close out the assets of the bank. The lots and lands will certainly go for almost nothing as the bargain hunters had better look out or they will miss the snags. Many of the lots are close to the center of town and some of the land with water right only a couple of miles from town. Notice the advertisement in another column. Parties wishing a schedule of all property to be sold will receive a copy of the pamphlet containing lists at the bank or from Receiver Rogers.

Wednesday about 3 a. m., Mr. J. M. Pardue, who sleeps in the second story of the Osborne block, heard a noise at the front door of his store which he took for granted was a burglar trying to gain an entrance. Accordingly Mr. Pardue hopped out of bed, threw his overcoat around him and with his heavy artillery ready for action proceeded down the front steps to investigate. He found a man at the south door of his store, when Pardue opened fire without ceremony. After shooting three times without creating an impression on the individual, much less puncturing his carcass, Pardue decided to change his tactics. Accordingly he asked what it was when the man raised up and asked, "Who, me?" The man had gained his feet by this time and it was now his turn to investigate. He struck a match and after finding it was Mr. Pardue who had spoken to him, wanted to know what all that shooting meant. Mr. Pardue was surprised to find his supposed-to-be-burglar was Geo. Mason, of Seven Rivers, who had imbibed a little too freely and had laid down against the front door to sleep it off. An explanation followed and both parties were surprised, Mason to think he had been mistaken for a burglar, while Mr. Pardue was the more surprised to think he had shot three times at a sleeping man not more than seven feet distant and never touched him nor hair. Mr. Pardue is now of the opinion that he needs practice in the use of firearms and is not thinking of making any public exhibitions in this line soon.

Lowney's fresh candies at Gamble's. The teacher's normal opens Monday morning, Dr. Emerson having been appointed as conductor.

Jack Wilson, Gus Goodwin and Mr. Daniels went out to Rocky Arroyo one day this week and spent the night fishing. They report a good catch and also a good soaking rain.

WANTED!—At Pardue's, chickens and eggs for cash.

The Epworth League will hold a special meeting at the M. E. church to-morrow (Sunday) evening at 8 o'clock, for which the following special program has been prepared.

Opening Song.....
Scripture reading, "Honoring the Lord's Day," Exodus 20:8-11. Rev. I. B. Smith.
Prayer.....
Bible references.....
Song.....
"What are the Duties of a Young Christian?"..... Miss Tena Nymeyer.
Song.....
"How we Should Keep the Lord's Day"..... Miss Maude Hughes.
Solo..... Mrs. I. D. T. Smith.
"Why should we keep the Sabbath?"..... Miss Mattie Bell.
"How is the Sabbath a Two-fold Memorial?"..... Charles Draper.
Song.....
Announcement.....
Closing Prayer.....

Attention!

Watch attention, carefully, experienced, painstaking attention. Attention that will keep your fine mechanism in perfect condition. It doesn't take much oil to make it mark time, but it must have that little and have it at the right time. It is our business to correct all deficiencies about a watch and make it keep correct time. It is our ambition to add to the reputation we think we have, in no small measure, already established, of doing honest, thorough watch repairing.

If you send us word we will call for your clock, watch or jewelry and deliver same to you when finished.

Eddy Drug Co.

Summer Normal.

The Eddy County Normal Institute for teachers will be held at Carlsbad beginning Monday, July 24, and continuing two weeks. The publication of this notice has been delayed by the sickness of Mr. Pratt, county superintendent.

A. J. RICHMOND, Conductor.

Lowney's fresh candies at Gamble's. A peach cobbler after church is well made them from Sharpe's peaches. Sharpe's wagon is on the streets with them every day.

Sidney Gilmore is busy replacing the roof on the Pierce block with tin instead of steel. He received 6000 pounds of tin for the purpose. Sid has more tin than some people have hay.

Mr. Swanson has purchased from J. H. Joyce the two lots on the corner of Canon and Shaw streets, west of the Lucius Anderson home for \$250, and is erecting a neat fence around the property.

Will Lucas, twin brother of George, the transfer proprietor, was in town this week. Will has quit the employ of Conway, the big saloon man.

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Best Line of Cigars in Town.

Don't Commit Suicide!

By taking stale drugs—like some stores sell—when you can always secure from us

The Newest and Freshest Drugs in Town.

Paints, Oils, Brushes and Sundries.

T. F. BLACKMORE.

2 Doors south of Hotel.

Hillside Dairy Farm,

F. E. BRYANT, Proprietor.

Fresh Cream, Milk and Butter Delivered to All Parts of the City.

Special Cows for Invalids and Children.

COWS FROM OUR REGISTERED HERD OF JERSEY CATTLE FOR SALE AT ALL TIMES.

INSPECTION INVITED.

We Don't Puff and Blow

about paying printers high salaries—it is some thing for a man to get big pay. Many bun printers get big salaries. The Carlsbad does the big end of the job printing for business men in Eddy county and lets the other fellows puff about big salaries, etc. If you want good printing because it is cheap see this office, but if you want snooty work by bun printers go elsewhere. Don't come to this office.

Jim Christopher went up to Weed last week and arrested one Tom Weatherby, who was wanted in Erath county, Texas, for murder. Weatherby was charged with the murder of a man named Miller in Erath county the Monday before Christmas last, also an attempt to murder A. J. Simpson. Weatherby gave bond but skipped in February, forfeiting his bond. He first went to El Paso and then to Alamogordo and from there to near Weed. While in that section he made a trip to Endee, this territory, with cattle. Weatherby was interviewed in the jail and said that he was perfectly innocent, that he had no gun at the time he was charged with the assault to murder. Sheriff R. T. Hume, of Stephenville, who came in Thursday, said that Weatherby had a pretty good case but his jumping his bond would be against him. Weatherby was located by a letter from Sheriff Hume to Sheriff Stewart of this county who sent Christopher up to Weed to look for Weatherby. Hume left with his prisoner Thursday evening.

The folks are all smiles over Sharpe's peaches you will find them at Gamble's.

SISTERS SCHOOL...

The Sisters of Mercy of Stanton, Tex., will open their school the first Monday in September.

Monthly Rates:

Tuition and board.....\$12.00
Washing.....1.00
Made.....5.00

Address: Sister Superior, Mercy Convent, Stanton, Texas.

The following party visited the big cave Tuesday in four rigs:

Misses Zena, Leek Nora Ward, Maud Clark, Maggie Gann, Jennie Stewart, Mamie and Ruth Brewer, Alta and Nellie Merrifield and Mrs. D. D. Clark. Messrs. Horst Luck, Frank Hainwater, J. D. Christopher, Asa Stewart, Fred Nymeyer, Bob Haney, D. D. Clark Jr., Ira Bryant, Frank Lavery, Bob Gifford. The party left at eight a. m. and put in five hours at the cave returning at 8 p. m.

Mr. J. M. Saur, of Shannon City, Ia., is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. T. J. Welch. He will remain for a time for health.

Maynard Sharpe remembered the CURRENT force this week with a basket of fine peaches. They were the Crosby peach and were the largest, best flavored peaches ever produced in the Pecos Valley. Mr. Sharpe this week began marketing this peach and finds it hard work to supply the trade.

Stanley White who left here last year for his old Colorado home returned by wagon this week, Monday. He says the Pecos Valley is good enough for him.

Mrs. Kincaid has been very ill the past week at the home of her mother Mrs. Dora Smith. Mr. Kincaid is up from Poyab where he is employed by the T. & P.

Charley Von John, formerly of Chicago has made arrangements to open a market and will sell Kansas City refrigerator meats. Notice his add in another column.

S. T. Bitting and M. J. Murray headed for Seven Rivers, Saturday evening on a fishing tour. A hundred perch, several black bass and cat fish was the result.

No more relief but a sure cure for dandruff. Cure or no pay.

ELITE SHAVING PARLOR, Opposite Postoffice.

FOR SALE: Fine Stock ranch near railway. Private water right. 100 acres deeded. Good improvements, at only ten dollars per acre. Call or write.

WM. H. MULLANE, Carlsbad N. M.

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Is now ready for business with three first-class workmen.

No Cut Price.

First-class place and first prices. You answer the question, are you an

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J. M. Summey, Proprietor.

Reduced Rates for Summer Trips.

Commencing June 1st and continuing to and including September 30th, 1909, the Texas & Pacific Railway Co. will sell round trip summer tourist tickets to points in Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, District of Columbia, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Ontario, Pennsylvania, Quebec, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia and Wisconsin, at a considerable reduction in rates.

See the nearest ticket agent for full information or write E. F. Turner, G. P. & T. A., Dallas, Texas.

Pecos Valley Steam Laundry.

Work first-class, prices reasonable, Free delivery and collection. Give us a trial. Patronize home industry.

W. L. HUGHES, Agent, Office at Gen Barber Shop.

Springer, N. M., July 10.—The latest and entirely authentic account of the fight between the officers and the train robbers at Cimarron, shows a result of one man, Sheriff Farr, killed, whose body was taken to Walsenburg; deputy marshal, H. M. Love, critically wounded, a bullet striking a large pocket knife in his pocket and driving it through his leg near the hip, inflicting a ghastly wound; John Smith, who volunteered his services to Marshal Foraker, shot through the fleshy portion of the calf of his leg, not dangerous.

The wounded men were brought a distance of eight miles to Cimarron yesterday. A posse visited the camp of the outlaws which appears to have been their headquarters for two months past, and found one of the outlaws' horses killed and another was so badly injured that they killed it.

The body of the outlaw McGinnis, supposed to have been killed, cannot be found. It is certain, however, that he is badly wounded and was taken along by his partners in crime, the three only having two horses between them to get away on.

United States Marshal Foraker, just arrived here, says that the above is correct. He brought along a pack and die, identified as one taken from the express car at Folsom. In the camp of the robbers the marshal and party also found fully thirty pounds of dynamite and he has no doubt whatever that they were the same parties that held up the train at Folsom. A posse of deputy marshals reinforced by ten more officers, have started in pursuit with the bandits forty hours in the lead. The rewards offered for the two dead or alive aggregate \$500 each.

Marshal Foraker says he believes one or more of them are wanted for other train robberies, and that if they are the men he thinks they are there is a reward of \$1,500 on the head of each. One of the men is supposed to be Sam Ketchum who was in a robbery about a year ago at the same place where the robbery of a week ago occurred. The other two go by the names of M. McGinnis and W. G. Franks. The latter about two weeks ago received a 30.40 Winchester and a thousand rounds of ammunition. Marshal Foraker says that badly handicapped as they are with the wounded man, it will be almost impossible for the bandits to get away. They are supposed to be heading for La Bello or Taos.

Midland Carnival.

Everything promises fair that the Cowboy Carnival and Fine Stock Show at Midland, August 29th to September 2nd, will surpass anything of the kind ever before attempted in West Texas. Two great roping contests for purses of \$300 and \$150 will be features of the entertainment. Many new and novel attractions will be introduced.

Full program and information may be had by addressing C. E. Dorville, secretary, Midland, Texas.

Buggies.

The Finest Line Ever Brought to the Valley. Come and See Them!

Harness and Saddles.

Repair Work Done.

Pat Murray.

The street grading work now being done of McElites and Asbury is of a good substantial character inasmuch as the grading is being done the full width of the street instead of leaving an embankment between the grade and the ditch, as was the case heretofore. Let all citizens take an interest in this work and the city of Carlsbad will have good streets.

Pliny Cochran, broker of "Hooley" is in Ponce Porto Rico from which point he sent a year's subscription to the CURRENT.

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FOR SALE.—My lot and building at 2900.

E. F. CARLE.

Mrs. M. P. Kerr left Tuesday for Alamogordo to visit relatives for a couple of weeks.

E. O. Creighton editor of the Roswell Record made a flying trip to Carlsbad the first of the week.

Defy the doctor, druggist and sexton by eating Sharp's peaches. Gamble sells them, so does Lavery.

Mr. Wm. Schon of Pomeroy Ia. came in last week and will engage in the meat market business with Charles Von John.

The round house and shop crew consisting of Wm. Findall, Mr. Bell and the black smith Mr. Miller and helper left for Roswell Tuesday morning. The shop whistle blew for the last Monday night.

Bowles Young one of the old time railway employees has been here since the first. He has been ill for a year with bronchial trouble and is in hope the climate will benefit him. Bowles has been employed on the E. P. & N. E. for some time in El Paso.

Kansas City Meat Market.

Monday, July 24th,

I will open a first-class meat market in this city, quotations as follows:

Loin Steak per pound.....	15c
Porterhouse.....	18c
Round steak.....	12c
Shoulder steak.....	12c
Mutton chops.....	12c
Pork chops.....	12c
Pork loin.....	15c
Ham.....	20c
Bologna.....	15c
Vienies.....	15c
Link Sausage.....	10c
Raw Smoked Ham.....	20c
Boiled Ham.....	20c
Breakfast Bacon.....	15c

Every Friday Fish and Oysters.

I will run a delivery to all parts of the city and desire your patronage. Give me a call.

Charley Von John.

Eat plenty of Sharpe's Crosby peaches and defy the doctor, druggist and undertaker, J. E. Lavery sells them, so does Gamble. For a church or state dinner use Sharpe's peaches procure them from the wagon.

A. R. Teeple who returned last week to take his old position in the auditor's office of the railway reports having met a large number of former Eddy people in different portions of the territory. Ernest Baleom and John Winslow were met at Pinos Altos. Both have good positions and are doing well. Mr. Teeple, however says he found no place to compare with Carlsbad as a town to make a home because of the fine shade and good climate.

Henry Goding for several years a newspaper employee in Eddy and one of the best descriptive writers has been in Santiago Cuba for some months.

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A general banking business done.

Exchange furnished to customers free of charge.